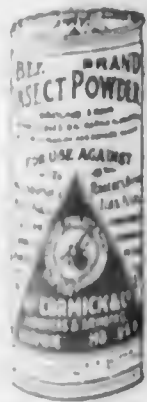


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ANNUAL CLEAN UP WEEK THROUGHOUT KENTUCKY.

The Courier prints below the full text of a proclamation issued by the State board of health, and though a little lengthy, it should be carefully read by every citizen of the county. It is astonishing to learn that almost half the new made graves in Fulton county were dug because we do not give proper attention to sanitation and health regulations. This is indeed costly carelessness. Shall this continue, or will YOU heed the advice contained in the following proclamation?

Whereas, A careful study of the official returns under the vital statistics law for 1915, about an average year, shows that 65 per cent of all sickness and 41 per cent of all deaths occurring in this State in recent years are from diseases which the health authorities and doctors could have prevented with the intelligent co-operation of all the people, a large part of them from what are known as filth diseases, caused by the almost criminal ignorance and carelessness, even in the best homes and schools in miswired towns and country districts, in the disposal of the discharged from the human body, and lack of daily vigilance in keeping the home and school premises, and especially the back yards and cellars, absolutely and at all times, clean and healthful, and

Whereas, These preventable diseases, causing such an enormous sick and death rate, more constantly, as the statistics show, in the small cities, towns and country districts, where people ought to be the healthiest, levy a heavy tax every year, in loss of time, medical drug and nurses' fees, and for premature funerals, then all the taxes paid into the municipal, county and State treasuries for all purposes, can and ought to be prevented, now, therefore,

Be it known, that the State Board of Health, for the reasons above set forth, and by virtue of authority vested in it by law as guardians of health and life, hereby names and set apart the period beginning on Monday, May 8th and ending on Saturday, May 14th, as "Clean-Up Week", and urges every family, teacher and other owner or occupier of premises to gather and burn or remove all refuse from their premises, especially in the back yards and cellars; to treat with plenty of fresh lime all dump and especially soiled spots and then grade them up; to whitewash all fences and out-houses, to look after the grading and tops of wells and cisterns and see that surface drainage is kept out; and, even more important than any of these things, construct "A Kentucky Septic Tank Privy" for every home, school or other building occupied by human beings not on a line of sewers. The cement, gravel or broken rock and sand for such a tank costs from \$10 to \$25, depending on the size, it can be built by any intelligent person, and it is self-cleaning, odorless, fly-proof and lasts forever, and if they are made the receptacle for all the sputum from consumption, and all discharges from typhoid fever patients and similar diseases, these will soon interest our people no more except as a matter of history. It is important that farmers and householders understand that all these precautions are as desirable for the homes of their tenants and servants as for their own families. The law is now preemptory that these Tanks must be constructed for all schools, hotels, court houses and railway stations, and one of our leading circuit judges has recently begun instructing the grand juries of his district to return indictments against all school trustees and others who are responsible for neglect of this salutary requirement. Notice is now given by this Board that no "health resort" or new mining camp without an approved system of sewers will be permitted to open this season, or in the future, unless tanks are provided for guests, or for employees and their families; and the Board calls upon all civil and health officials, physicians, editors, members of women's clubs, teachers and other organizations and leaders of opinion, to construct these tanks and make the other improvements suggested for their homes and then, with their own premises as models, start this life-saving campaign among their neighbors and friends. Where, for any reason the tanks can not be constructed at once, the Board urges that existing garden houses be

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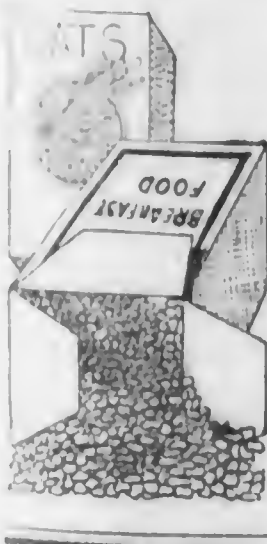
The State Board of Health has issued a proclamation making it illegal to ship to or receive by any person more than one quart of whiskey or 21 parts of beer every two weeks.

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The Building & Loan Association has an expert accountant going over its books, preparatory to adopting "more system" in handling its business. Handling the accounts and business of this association is no child's play.

In naming the chautauqua committee last week, our typewriter substituted the name of W. C. Spear for W. C. Reed as a member of the committee. The error, of course, escaped the proof reader, too; hence, our apologies to Mr. Reed, the legal, lawful and justly recognized committeeman.

LOOKS LIKE TEDDY.

It begins to look like the Republican party will nominate Roosevelt for president, despite the fact that he was one of the hardest fighters against the Republican nominee for president during the last national campaign. To refuse to nominate him for president this year would mean that the party nominees would again have his opposition.

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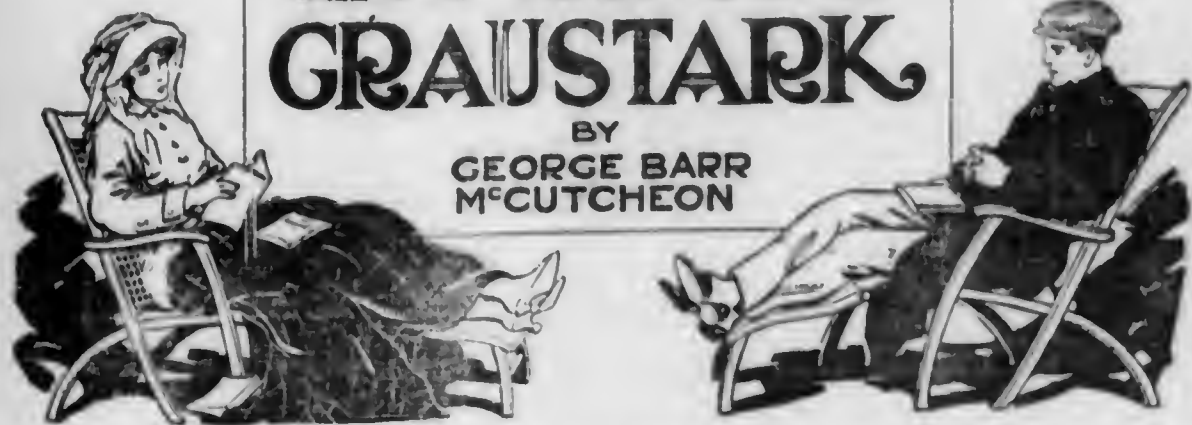
On account of the European war, lumber prices, as well as most other things, are rapidly advancing. Indications are that prices will go higher, and if you contemplate building or repairing this Spring, I advise you to let me figure with you NOW.

It is true, prices are higher than a year ago, but advances are now becoming more rapid every day and I am going to be forced to raise local prices before long. BUY NOW, lumber will cost more later.

W. A. DODDS

The PRINCE of GRAUSTARK

BY
GEORGE BARR
MCUTCHEON



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CHAPTER XVII. Love In Abeyance.

"**P**oor Prince!" she sighed pityingly. He started. The remark was so unexpected that he almost betrayed himself. It seemed profoundly personal. "He will be in very hot water, I fear."

He regarded her coldly. "And you want to be on hand to see him squirm, I suppose."

She took instant alarm. Was she going too far? His query was somewhat disconcerting.

"To be perfectly frank with you, Mr. Schmidt, I am going to Graustark because no one will ever think of looking for me in such an out of the way place. I am serious now, so you must not laugh at me. Circumstances are such that I prefer to seek happiness after a fashion of my own. My parents love me, but they will not understand me. You know that my father fears that I may marry a man distasteful to him, and I suppose to my mother, although she is not so."

"Are his fears well founded?" he asked, rudely interrupting her. "Is there a man that he has cause to fear? Are—are you in love with some one, Bedella?"

"Do not interrupt me. I want you to know that I am not running away from home, that I shall return to it when I see fit and that I am not in love with the man they suspect."

She was very serious, very intense. He laid his hand on hers, and she did not withdraw it. Emboldened, his hand closed upon the dainty fingers, and an instant later they were borne to his hot lips.

"You have said that I came here in search of a light adventure," he whispered, holding her hand close to his cheek as he bent nearer to her. "You imply that I am a trifler, a light of love. I want you to understand me better. I came here because I—"

"Stop!" she pleaded. "You must not say it. I am serious—yes, I know that you are serious too. But you must wait. If you were to say it to me now I should have to send you away and—oh, believe me, I do not want to do that. I—"

"You love no one else?" he cried rapidly.

She awayed slightly, as if incapable of resisting the appeal that called her to his heart, and she scarcely breathed the words:

"I love no one else."

A less noble nature than this would have seized upon the advantage offered by her sudden weakness. Instead, he drew a long, deep breath, straightened his figure, and he gently released the imprisoned hand.

She spoke softly. "It is too soon for us to judge each other. I must be sure—oh, I must be sure of myself. Can you understand? Now, I must go in. No; do not ask me to stay—and let me go alone. I prefer it so. Good night, my comrade."

He stood up and let her pass. "Good night, my princess," he said, clearly and distinctly. She shot a swift glance into his eyes, smiled faintly and moved away.

Two days went by, but there was not a word of love passed between these two who waited for the fruit to ripen. They were never alone together. Always they were attended by the calm, keen-eyed Mrs. Gaston. On the third day he was convicted of duplicity. She went off for a walk alone. When she came in after an absence of at least two hours the girl went up to her room without so much as a word with him. Her face was flushed and she carried her head disdainfully. He was greatly puzzled.

The puzzle was soon explained. He waited for her on the stairway as she came down alone to dinner. "You told me that your friends were not in Interlaken, Mr. Schmidt," she said coldly. "Why did you feel called upon to deceive me?"

He bit his lip. For an instant he reflected, and then gave an evasive answer. "I think I told you that I was alone in this hotel, Miss Gulle. My friends are at another hotel. I am not aware that—"

"I was morally certain that they were here. Today my suspicions were justified. I encountered Mr. Totten in the park beyond the Jungfraublick. He was very much upset, I can assure you, but he recovered with amazing swiftness. We sat on one of the benches in a nice little nook and had a long, long talk. He is a charming man. I have asked him to come to luncheon with us tomorrow and to bring Mr. Dank."

"Good Lord, will wonders never cease!" she said, her hand gently upon his arm and a serious sweetness came into her eyes.

"Come," she said, "let us go in ahead of Mrs. Gaston. Let us have just one little minute to ourselves, Mr. Schmidt."

When Mrs. Gaston joined Robin and Bedella at the table, which had been

set for them in the salle a manger, she laid several letters before the girl, who picked them up instantly and glanced at the superscription on each.

"You will forgive me, Mr. Schmidt," she said nervously. "I must look at them at once."

An exclamation of annoyance fell from her lips as she read the first one.

"This is from a friend in Paris, Mr. Schmidt," she said, hesitatingly. Then, as if making a quick decision: "My father has heard that I am carrying on a romance with a strange young man. It seems that it is a new young man. He is beside himself with rage."

She dashed open another envelope and glanced at its contents. Her eyes flew open with surprise. For an instant she stared, a frown of perplexity on her brow.

"We are discovered!" she cried a moment later, clapping her hands together in an ecstasy of delight. "The numbers are upon our heels. The chase is on again. Quick! We must prepare for flight!"

"Flight?" gasped Robin. Her eyes were dancing. His were filled with dismay.

"Tomorrow at sunrise," cried Bedella enthusiastically. "It is already planned, Mr. Schmidt. I have engaged an automobile in anticipation of this very emergency."

"By the way, why don't you read the other letter?" He was regarding it with jealous eyes, for she had slipped it, face downward, under the edge of her plate.

"It isn't important," she said, with a quick look into his eyes. She convicted herself in that glance and knew it on the instant.

Alone with herself, she snatched up the letter and tore it open. Her cheeks were flushed. When she had finished she folded the sheets and stuck them back into the envelope without comment. One looking over her shoulder as she read, however, might have caught glimpses of sentences here and there on the heavily scrawled page. They were such as these: "You had led me to hope;" "for years I have been your faithful admirer;" "Nor have I wavered for an instant despite your whimsical attitude;" "therefore I felt justified in believing that you were sincere in your determination to defy your father;" And others of an even more caustic nature. "You are going to marry this prince, after all," "Your father will be pleased to find that you are obedient," "If I were a prince with a crown and a debt that I couldn't pay," "admit that I have had no real chance to win out against such odds," etc.

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"Nor I," said Robin gloomily. Suddenly his face lightened. A wild, reckless gleam shot into his eyes, and, to their amazement, he banged the table with his fist. "My love, I know what I shall do. I'll go with you!"

"No!" cried Bedella, almost. "I cannot permit it, Mr. Schmidt. Can't you understand? You—you are the man with whom I am supposed to be carrying on atrociously!"

"Well, I can tell you flatly just what I intend to do," said he, setting his jaw. "I shall hire another car and keep you in sight every foot of the way. Where you go, I go."

"Do you mean it?" she cried, a new thrill in her voice.

"I intend to see you every day," he declared, "from now till the end of time."

"Really, Mr. Schmidt, you—"

"If there is one thing I despise beyond all reason, Bedella, it is the name of 'Schmidt'! I wish you wouldn't call me by that name!"

"I can't just call you mister," she demurred.

"Call me Rex for the present," said he. "I will supply you with a better one later on."

"May I call him Rex?" she inquired of her companion.

"In moderation," said Mrs. Gaston. "Very well, then Rex, I have changed my mind. I shall not motor since you insist upon taking your neck in pursuit of me. I shall go by train in the morning. We will be in Vienna in two days. There I shall say goodbye to you, for I am going to Graustark, the new Hiltbrand estate. Surely you will not follow me there!"

"You are very much mistaken. I shall be there as soon as you and I shall stay just as long, provided Mr. Hiltbrand has no objection," said Robin, with more candor than he had hoped to display in the face of her sudden threat.

Mr. William W. Hiltbrand arrived in Edelweiss, the capital of Graustark, on the same day that the prince returned from his tour of the world. As a matter of fact, he traveled by special train and beat the prince home by the matter of three hours. The procession of troops, headed by the Royal Castle guard, was announced, would pass the historic Hotel Regency at 5 in the afternoon, so Mr. Hiltbrand had front seats on the extension porch facing the plaza.

He had lost no time in his dash across the continent. In the first place, his agents in Paris made it quite clear to him that there was likely to be "frictions" in Graustark over the loan and the prospect of a plebeian princess being seated on the throne whether the people liked it or not, and in the second place Maud Applegate had left a note on his desk in the Paris offices, coolly informing him that she was likely to turn up in Edelweiss almost as soon as he. She added an annoying postscript. She said she was curious to see what sort of a place it was that he had been wasting his money on.

To say that he was put out by Maud's aggravating behavior would be stating the case with excessive gentleness. He was furious. He sent for the head of the detective agency and gave him a blowing up that he was never to forget. It appears that the detectives had followed a false lead and had been fooled by the wily Maud in a most humiliating manner. They hadn't the remotest notion

where she was and evinced great surprise when informed in a voice loud enough to be heard a half block away that she was on her way to Graustark.

Then he dismissed Mrs. Hiltbrand off to the Gare d'Edelweiss and took the express to Vienna. He would see to the loan first and be Maud afterward.

Going back a day or two, it becomes necessary to report that while in Vienna the perverse Bedella played a shabby trick on the infatuated Robin. She stole away from the Hiltbrand in the middle of the night and was halfway to the Graustark frontier before he was aware of her flight. She left a note for him in which she said:

Forgive me for sending away like this. It is for the best. I must have some days to myself, dear friend—days for reflection undisturbed by the presence of a natural enemy to compassion. And I am leaving you in the bewitching Graustark fashion. Do not think of me. I give you my solemn promise that in a few days I shall let you know where I may be found if you choose to come to me. I have then I may not be fully convinced to my own mind that our adventure has reached its climax. You have said that you would accompany me to Graustark. I am leaving tonight for that country, where I shall remain in seclusion for a few days before acquainting you with my future plans. I have not my intention to show in Edelweiss at present. The newspapers probably state of course have over the coming visit of Mr. Hiltbrand and the return of the prince, both of whom are very much in the public eye just now. I prefer the quiet of the country to the excitement of the city, so I shall seek some remote office and give myself up to peaceful and profitable meditation. I have no doubt but that to your most devoted though somewhat

unconcerned friend,
WILLIAM W. HILTBREND.

CHAPTER XVIII.
Mr. Hiltbrand in Graustark.

IMMEDIATELY upon receiving her letter Robin sent for Quinnox and Gourea, who were stopping at a hotel nearby.

"I am ready to proceed to Edelweiss, my friends," said he. "Miss Gulle has departed. Will you look for me at the station on the earliest train for home?"

"I have already seen to that, highness," said Gourea calmly. "We leave at 6 this evening. Count Quinnox has wired the prime minister that you will arrive in Edelweiss at 3 tomorrow afternoon, God willing."

"You knew that she had gone?"

"I happened to be in the Verdenhof when she boarded the train at midnight," replied the laconic, un-moved.

The prince was thoughtful, his brow clouding with a troubled frown. "I suppose I shall now have to face my people with the confession that will condemn their worst fears. I may as well say to you, my friends, that I mean to make her my wife even though it costs me my kingdom. Do you think they will accept her as my princess?" cried Robin hopefully.

"I submit that it will first be necessary for you to induce Miss Gulle to accept you as her prince," said Gourea mildly. "That doesn't appear to be settled at present."

He took alarm. "What do you mean? Your remark has a sinister sound. Has anything transpired?"

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"Not once did I get necessary at all," exploded Mr. Blithers. Any one desiring to speak to me will have to do it in English. He then marched out to the carriage.

He was in a good mood at first, but as his carriage passed swiftly between the stables and the castle, he began to feel the heat and how to the right and left. He was then reminded by the multitude, and so his progress was one of a triumph after all.

At the entrance he found additional cause for irritation. No one was there to receive him except the ingratiating valet of the establishment.

The valet, a man of middle age and middle height, with a friendly smile, arrived at the entrance of the castle. He had been waiting for the prince, and he was now in a good mood.

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The most beautiful, most durable silver-plated forks, spoons and fancy serving pieces are stamped with the renowned trade mark

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His alert eyes were searching the crowd along the street, in the balconies and windows with an eager intensity. He was looking for the sweet familiar face of the loveliest girl on earth. If she were there he wondered what her thoughts might be on beholding the humble R. Schmidt in the role of a royal prince receiving the homage of the loving multitude.

Passing the Repengetz, his eyes swept the rows of cheering people banked upon its wide terrace and veranda. He saw Mr. and Mrs. Blithers well down in front, and for a second his heart seemed to stand still. Would she be with them? It was with a distinct sense of relief that he realized that she was not with the smiling Americans.

Mr. Blithers waved his hat and, instead of shouting the incoherent greeting of the native spectators, called out in courteous tones: "Welcome home! Welcome! Hurrah!"

"Oh, what a remarkably handsome, manly boy he is, Will," sighed Mrs. Blithers.

Mr. Blithers nodded his head proudly. "He certainly is. I'll bet my head that Maud is crazy about him already. She can't help it, Lou. That trip on the Jupiter was a god-send. We'll have plans sailing from now on, Lou."

Mr. Blithers indeed experienced plain sailing for the ensuing twenty hours. It was not until just before he set forth at 2 the next afternoon to attend by special appointment a meeting of the cabinet in the council chamber at the castle that he encountered the first symptom of squalls ahead.

He had sent his secretary to the castle with a brief note suggesting an early conference. It naturally would be of an informal character, as there was no present business before them. The conference had already been signed by the government and by his authorized agents. So far as the loan was concerned there was nothing more to be said.

There was a distinct cloud on the financial horizon, however, a vague shadow of present but prophetic gloom. It was perfectly clear to the noble that when these bonds matured Mr. Blithers would be in a position to exact payment, and as they matured in twelve years from date he was likely to pay pretty much alive and kicking when the four of rock online arrived.

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The first shock to the placidity of Mr. Blithers came with the brief note in reply to his request for an informal conference. The lord chamberlain early informed him that the cabinet would be in session at 2 and would be pleased to grant him an audience of half an hour, depending on the promptness in appearing.

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granted audience. He consoled himself, however, with the thought that matters would not always be as they were at present. There would be a decided change of tune later on.

It would be folly to undertake the depletion of Mr. Blithers' first impressions of the castle and its environs. To begin with, he felt no small amount of his assurance when he discovered that the great gates in the wall surrounding the park were guarded by resplendent dragons who demanded his "pass." After the officer in charge had inspected the lord chamberlain's card as if he had never seen one before, he ceremoniously indicated to a warden that the gates were to be opened. There was a great clanking of chains, the drawing of iron bolts, the whirl of a windlass, and the ponderous gates swung slowly ajar.

Mr. Blithers caught his breath—and from that instant until he found himself crossing the great hall in the wake of an attendant delegated to conduct him to the council chamber his sensations are not to be described. It is only necessary to say that he was in a reverential condition, and that is saying a great deal for Mr. Blithers.

He was ushered into a chamber, at the opposite end of which was a large, imposing door closed. Beside this door stood a slim, erect figure in the red, blue and gold uniform of an officer of the castle guard. As Mr. Blithers approached this rigid figure he recognized a friend, and a warm glow pervaded his heart. There could be no mistaking the smart mustache and supercilious eyebrows. It was Lieutenant Bank.

"How do you do?" said Mr. Blithers. "Glad to see you again." His voice sounded unnatural. He extended his hand.

Bank gave him a ceremonious salute, bowed slightly, but without a smile, and then threw open the door. "Mr. Blithers, my lord," he announced, and stood aside to let the stranger in a strange land pass within.

(Continued next week.)

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TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL.

Starts Your Liver Without Making You Sick And Can Not Salivate.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They will give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tonic is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tonic is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tonic is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no indigestion, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and unsteady. Don't lose a day's work. Take Dodson's Liver Tonic instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition. Adv.

WILL RAISE BERRIES.

Three hundred thousand strawberry plants arrived at Fulton last Tuesday for the Fruit Grower's Association and were distributed among the members. The plants will be used in filling what remains of 115 acres pledged for strawberries this year. Eighty acres have already been set out.

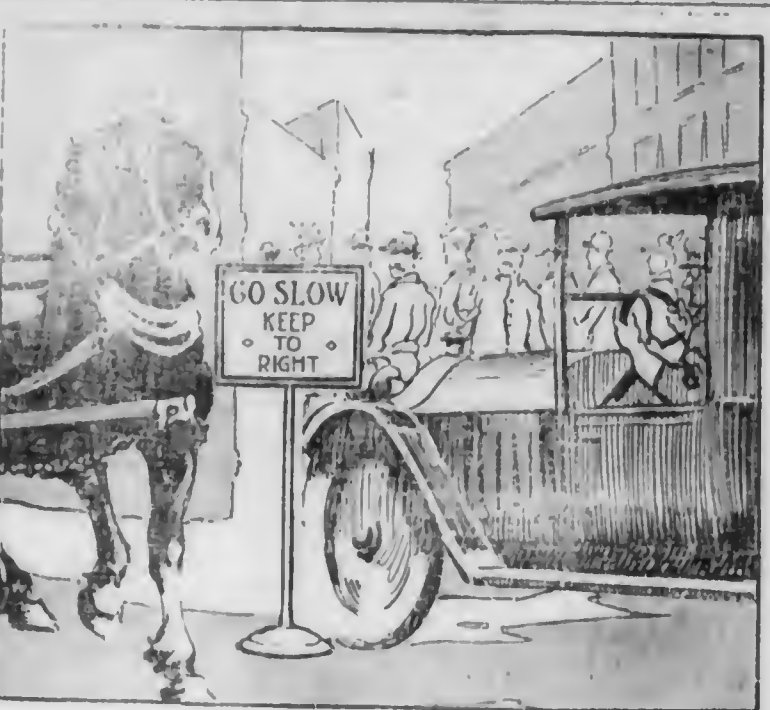
The Hickman association made a great mistake last year in failing to do what Fulton is doing this year.

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System
Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

A burglar robbed several homes in Fulton Thursday night, including the home of Editor Williams. The intruder was a stranger to the town, else he would never have taken the time to enter the home of an editor.

Hay For Sale: Good 1st cutting Red Clover; also Alfalfa.—S. L. Dodds.

Gov. Stanley has proclaimed May 7 as "Go-to-Sunday-School" day.



"Go slow. Keep to the right." That's a good slogan for LIFE'S WHOLE JOURNEY as well as for the passing moment in the street. CAUTION and CORRECTNESS in financial dealings, in physical well being, in moral and mental attitudes, are splendid attributes. This bank goes slow. It keeps to the right. It fills EVERY FUNCTION of BANKING with caution and correctness. Do YOUR banking with usual benefit by our caution.

Hickman Bank and Trust Company Hickman, Kentucky

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DIRECTORS: W. O. Johnson, J. P. Maddox, H. L. Amberg, D. G. Schenker, J. T. Stephens, J. W. Howell, Chas. Noonan.

OURLIN BREAKS ARM.

Zack Ourlin, of Woodland Mills was here Saturday to have a broken arm set and given medical attention. While trying to pull a split post apart the right arm slipped Friday afternoon.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will send you a box of Pazo Oxymerol (patented) for cure of itching, burning, bleeding, protruding piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and relief. 50c.

Chautauqua May 15th.

Courier Want Ads get results.



If you want to **SAVE MONEY** let us do your Cleaning and Pressing. Our prices are

Cleaning Suits 85c
Pressing Suits 35c

All dust thoroughly removed before being pressed.

Hickman Laundry

P. S.—Old Clothes Made to Look Like New.

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By Purchasing Your

Paints, Glass
Refrigerators
Screen Wire
Oil Stoves
Second Hand Furniture

STARK & CO.



**WARNINGS!
HINTS! REMINDERS!
...ON...
A Burning Subject!**

**OLD KING COLE
WAS A
MERRY OLD SOUL**

A merry old soul was he. If alive today, he would burn our coal, and even merrier be. Burn our coal and be merry.

**PITTSBURGH COAL - \$5.00
SHELL BARK LUMP - 4.50
BLACK DIAMOND - 4.00**

City Coal Company

Both Phones 53 and 185

LOW PRICES

In Spite of Market Advances

THIS STORE IS STILL MAKING LOW PRICES ON ALL KINDS OF FIRST-CLASS, DESIRABLE MERCHANDISE, AND RIGHT NOW OUR STOCKS ARE LARGER AND BETTER ASSORTED THAN EVER IN OUR HISTORY.

Read the Big Illustrated Hand Bills of the Bulls Eye Sale, which we are distributing this week

SEE SHOW WINDOW AND STORE DISPLAY

COME IN AND SEE OUR SPECIAL OFFERINGS IN

Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Wash Goods, Calicoes

Domestics, Ginghams, Percales, Lawns, Cheviots

Madras, Shirtings, Tickings, Sheetings, White Goods

Linens, Poplins, Suitings, Table Linens, Embroideries

Laces, Ribbons, Sheets, Towels, Rugs, Mattings

Curtain Draperies, Window Shades, Oil Cloth, Men's

Ladies and Children's Furnishings, Hosiery, Underwear

Millinery, Notions, Novelties, Dresses, Waists, Skirts.

Corsets, Muslin Underwear, Shirts, Overalls

Trunks, Suit Cases and Bags, Home Goods and Kitchen

Utensils, Chinaware, Crockery, Glassware, Tinware

Enamelware, Stationery, Toilet Goods, Brushes, Candy

Toys, Umbrellas, Fans, Parasols, and Hundreds of Other Items of Good Merchandise

5, 10 and 25c Bargains in Great Profusion

== COME IN AND SEE ==

E. R. ELLISON

Dry Goods and Variety Cash Store

Walk-Over and
Masterbilt ShoesStetson and
Worth Hats

REPUTATION

Is Not Made in a Day Nor Maintained Without Reason.

The high reputation that this store enjoys for quality merchandise, liberal values and honest dealings has been earned because it has safeguarded these things for its customers through years of studied and ceaseless effort. I feature—

WALK-OVER SHOES, STETSON AND WORTH HATS

DUTCHESS GUARANTEED TROUSERS

ARROW BRAND SHIRTS AND COLLARS

HOLEPROOF GUARANTEED HOSIERY

LEIBOVITZ ALL-WOOL SUITS

Because they have the reputation for quality and worth that I want my merchandise to win for this store. There's a reason for reputation. You can gain it as a good dresser by catching the influence of the "Live Store" merchandise.

Leibovitz
MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

The "Live Store" where quality reigns higher than price.

See the latest "Beau"-Bow Ties. The newest out in Neckwear, and as usual, first shown by the "Live Store."

Arrow Brand
ShirtsLeibovitz
\$15.00 Suits

COMBINATION JAIL AND FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The city fathers are now planning to erect a building, about 35x60 feet, two stories, which is to be used as a fire department, in which our new fire engine is to be kept, with a city jail on the same floor. The second story will be arranged for living quarters for the fire chief, who under the new arrangement, will also act as jailer for the city.

A committee composed of W. A. Johnson and A. O. Caruthers, is working out the details.

The building will likely be located just east of the foot of the Court House steps, on the old "caraboose" lots, and will cost, we understand, in the neighborhood of \$4000. Of what material it is to be constructed has not yet been determined.

The city jail feature is a new one, but from a point of economy, it sounds good. For the month of April the city paid out something like \$45.00 for keeping prisoners in the county's jail.

The members of the Rook Club and their husbands were delightfully entertained Wednesday evening from 7:30 to 11 by Mrs. D. B. Wilson. Rook was enjoyed and during the games punch was served. Late in the evening a salad course was served. Those present were: W. E. Lynch and wife, L. McMakin and wife, R. L. Bradley and wife, S. H. Minton and wife, J. W. Roney and wife, W. C. Tipton and wife, C. B. Travis and wife, C. T. Bonbrant and wife, R. B. Johnson and wife, Mesdames B. Huddleston, Mary Ligon, Val Carpenter, F. T. Randall, Messrs Bonnie Carpenter and Radio Winston, of Fulton.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness, and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhea. McGEHE'S BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowels disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Advt.

Mr. Allen, of Brown Lumber Co., of Louisville, who has been here for the past two weeks, has returned to Louisville.

"Not touched by hands" — our butter kist, delicious, crisp, pop corn — Dobson's.

FOR SALE: 150 bushels Soy Beans — Isaac Shuff, Route 3 5-1p

Percy Jones was in Fulton Friday.

Be comfortable this summer

IT'S easy enough in the right kind of loose-fitting, light-weight underwear.

We can show you several good styles; the Wilson Bros. Athletic Union Suit is the very best. Try one or two suits and you'll be delighted. We guarantee that. They're extra comfortable and designed for convenience.

Other spring furnishings—ties, socks, shirts—here now; you ought to see these new things soon. They're very attractive and there's a big variety to choose from.

R. L. BRADLEY



SHOES \$10 A PAIR PREDICTED FOR 1917.

From an overabundance of shoes and leather we are plunged to the verge of a famine.

Here's the shoe situation:

Tan kid shoes will retail for \$10 a pair next year.

Other shoes will increase in price proportionately.

Shoes selling this year for \$3.50 and \$4.00 per pair will cost from \$5.00 to \$6.00.

Leathers of all kinds are becoming harder and harder to get every day. America is on the verge of a shoe famine.

There is a well authenticated report that Russia will soon be in the market for 2,000,000 pairs of shoes. If this is true, and if other nations come into the American market soon, as is reported, there is no telling how high prices will jump. The situation is serious and one that demands serious consideration.

SLIGHT REDUCTION IN PRICE LIGHT AND WATER.

In renewing the water and light contract for another year between the city and the local light and water company, a small concession was made the city Monday night, the price this year being \$4000 against \$4,200 for the year just closed. Along with this concession, they agree to dispense with the public watering trough near the Court House.

While the present price seems high and in fact consumes about 35 per cent of the total revenue—the council was given ample proof that Hickman is not paying as much as many towns of the same size in this section for the same service, and was convinced the local people were reasonable enough in their figures.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly

The Old Standard general strengthening tonic GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILI TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. See

BOY BADLY HURT AT WINGO WEDNESDAY.

The seven year old son of Charley Davenport, of Wingo, was horribly mangled Wednesday, and chances for the boy's recovery are doubtful. The boy was walking behind a mame spreader which the father was operating and the boy, getting too close, got his sleeve caught in the machinery and was dragged into the machine. His arm and head were badly crushed and mangled. The boy is still alive.

The British battleship Russell has been sunk by a mine. This high fighting machine cost \$5,000,000 to build, and with her went down 124 men. This is the eleventh battleship lost by Great Britain since the war started, besides thirty-two cruisers and auxiliary cruisers. The Russell carried 800 men, had a displacement of 11,000 tons, was completed in 1903 and was 405 feet in length.

The Social Embroidery met with Mrs. J. W. Swift on Monday afternoon. Bending, crocheting and social conversation were enjoyed during the hours. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served. The embroidery on May 8th with Mrs. Jno. Adams.

FOR SALE: My residence, practically new, city water, electric lights, 6 rooms, all necessary improvements. Terms to suit purchaser.—Dee Henry. 5-18

Mrs. B. T. Davis left Tuesday for Bardwell, Ky., to attend a district convention of the Christian church.

Registered Red Palled Bulls: Several extra nice ones.—S. L. Dadds.

Mrs. Kate Webb Smith left Tuesday for Louisville for a short visit.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Services and announcements for Sunday, May 7th, are as follows: The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. A free will offering will be made for the Polish Victim Relief Fund, Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. This is Go to Sunday School Sunday in Kentucky. One million in attendance is our slogan for the State. Two hundred is the goal of the First Methodist in Hickman.

LITTLE MISS MUFFETT.

Little Miss Muffett
Sat on a tuffet,
What ever that may be:
And read the Rhymes of Lemo-
lie
Just like you and me.

Watch for the expiration notice on your paper and renew promptly. The Courier is not forced on any one, but stops when your time is out.

Wm. Heron and son, Shirley, well known manufacturers of iron beds at Chattanooga, were here first of the week guests of Dr. J. M. Hubbard and family.

Old papers 20c a hundred.—Courier office.

Ten good reasons why you should buy Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes



1. Most popular styles in America
2. Strictly all-wool fabrics
3. Nobody's hard to fit
4. All seams sewed with silk
5. Finest tailor work in the country
6. High quality of "inside" materials
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Stomach Catarrh Is Very Prevalent

In this climate catarrh is a prevalent disease. Catarrh affects the stomach as often as any other organ. Perhaps every third person is more or less troubled with stomach catarrh. Peruna is extensively used in these cases.

PERUNA THE RELIABLE
FAMILY
REMEDY

One Million People in the SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF KY. MAY 7th, 1916

You owe it to yourself and your State to attend Sunday School on May 7th. It is your duty to do good for yourself, or any opportunity to do good for another, become a permanent member.

KENTUCKY S. S. ASSOCIATION

FOR SALE!

Stock Peas and Soja Beans

Re-cleaned Whipporwills, per bush. \$1.50. Re-cleaned Blue or New Era, \$1.50. Re-cleaned Mixed Peas, bags free, \$1.50. Re-cleaned Soja Beans, bags free, \$2.00. Bring your bags for Whipporwill and Blue Peas. All seed prices subject to being unsold. Phone or write.

DON WEATHERFORD,
37-18 Clinion, Ky.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair today and Friday, with rising temperature.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Resolutions respecting J. A. Thompson, deceased, adopted by the Official Board of the First Methodist church, of Hickman, of which board the deceased was a member for more than 20 years.

Whereas, Death has invaded our ranks and taken from us a consistent christian, a loyal and faithful church member, a painstaking and efficient official, and a brother much beloved by his co-laborers in the church and most highly esteemed by all who know him, therefore be it resolved:

First: That we feel most keenly the irreplaceable loss we have sustained in the passing away of this true man of God.

See: That we will ever fondly cherish the memory of his strong, beautiful life and character and untiring service to the public welfare that we will ever strive to measure up to the high standard of life and duty which he unconsciously set for us, trying always to keep in the shining pathway he traveled, that leads up to those lofty realms, where our noble brother is now forever at home with the Lord.

Third: That we tender the bereaved family our sincere sympathy and prayers and also present them a copy of these resolutions. That a copy be furnished the Hickman Courier for publication and also the Midland Methodist and the Christian Advocate.

Signed for the Board by the committee,

R. C. Douglass,
F. T. Randle,
A. O. Caruthers.

ACCIDENTLY SHOT.

Landerdale Ogdon, age nine years, son of Tom Ogdon, a resident of the lower bottom, accidentally shot himself in the neck yesterday afternoon with a .22 calibre revolver. The bullet barely missed the jugular vein, inflicting a painful wound. Dr. H. E. Prather was called and dressed the wound but was unable to locate the bullet. It is thought the little fellow will recover.

"ELECTRICAL WEEK."

This is "electrical week" in Hickman. The Kentucky Light & Power Co. has on a special demonstration and price reduction sale of electrical appliances. Their exhibit will be found in the store room under the Elks home. Everyone is cordially invited to call and see what electricity will do; the exhibit is educational.

Misses Gertrude Werner and Mayme Roper have gone to Marble Hill, Mo., to visit their friend, Miss Mary Sullivan.

If you haven't decided yet, it will be an easy matter for you to find just the suit you want at Leibovitz "Live Store."

Prof. Douglass, of Trenton, was the guest of his brother, Rev. R. C. Douglass, last week.

Mrs. George Umstott and little daughter, Mildred, are visiting Chas. Werner and family.

FOR SALE: 50 bushels clean cotton seed for planting, at my farm.—J. R. Gosler. 1p

Fall in line and get one of the Beau-Bow ties shown by the Leibovitz "Live Store."

Bob Buchanan was in Hickman this week mingling with old friends.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The regular May term of Fulton Circuit Court was convened at the Court House Monday, when the grand jury was empanelled and set to work.

Tuesday the petit jury which served at the special term last week was empanelled as the regular petit jury, J. H. Pickett and W. N. Brasfield added to the list in place of others excused.

Fifty-one Commonwealth cases were continued with bench warrant issued for each defendant.

Red Mobley and Rola Crane, tried in Quarterly Court, dismissed.

The following are filed away, with leave to re-docket at any time: Carl Rhoades, murder; Walter Boaz (col.), violating local option law; A. E. Tinsley, carrying concealed deadly weapon and assault and battery; C. A. Hastings, B. B. Nally, A. B. Anthony and Rinz Dacus, violating local option law.

The following were dismissed: Clarence Kimes, horse stealing; W. Calhoun, grand larceny; Des Montgomery, breach of peace; Wade Harris, assault and battery; W. A. Maxwell, forgery.

Jess Tucker, breach of peace and Kid Tolliver, tried in Quarterly Court, dismissed.

Lassie Skinner was appointed county examiner, with office with W. B. Amberg.

Harry Fowler, operating a motor vehicle without license, continued.

Wm. and Pat Henry, breach of peace, submitted, and each fined \$10.

W. T. Johnson and Cne Stowe, gaming, submitted, and each fined \$20.

R. R. Rogers, carrying concealed deadly weapon, dismissed.

Ben White violating local option law, not guilty by jury.

Vester Davis, violating local option law, tried by jury and fined \$50 and ten days in jail.

R. B. Marshall, grand larceny, tried by jury and found not guilty. This case went on trial Tuesday and was given to the jury late yesterday. It was a hard fought one on both sides, the State having 24 witnesses and the defense 15. Marshall was accused of stealing a sow belonging to Herman Choate. The State was represented by Attys. Adams, Roney, Hollifield and Moorman, defense by Attys. Welsh, Crossland, Platt, Moore and Shaw. In the course of argument, Atty. Crossland was adjudged in contempt of court and was ordered confined in jail by Judge Gardner for making insulting remarks about opposing counsel and to the court. The jury decided the case last night and was released by the court. We understand the jury stood 11 to 1 for acquittal on the first ballot.

The grand jury returned 8 indictments up to the time court convened this morning.

At the special term last week, Dodds & Johnson secured a judgment against the C. M. & G. Ry. for \$1313.41 for damages to crops by failure to keep ditches open.

Last week Paul Choate lost his suit against the city for putting stock in the pound, the judge giving peremptory instructions in favor of the city, and the jury finding for the Stock Marshal.

Barton Cotton Co. vs. Carey Rhodes, dismissed.

Birdie Vaughn vs. Dick Kell, dismissed.

Jennie V. Creedle vs. N. Y. Life Ins. Co., dismissed.

Mrs. Mattie Allen vs. Mangel Box Co., dismissed.

Farmers Gin & Grain Co. vs. N. C. & St. L., mandate of Court of Appeals denying appeal filed.

Jim Langford vs. Sam Salmon, judgment by default for \$80.75.

F. S. Moore vs. G. B. Brasfield, judgment by default for \$97.95.

The case of W. C. Johnson vs. D. B. Wilson, Bailey Huddleston et al, in which the defendants were enjoined from collecting levee taxes, is set for trial next Monday.

Bird Wilmuth vs. Effie Wilmuth, divorce granted.

Ellen Knowles, murder, acquitted by jury.

The negro charged with killing mute on Lee Line boat, plead guilty and was sentenced to the penitentiary for 99 years.

NOTICE: We now have stored at Dyersburg, Tenn., one bundle of hardware, weight 75 pounds, consigned to H. T. Adams, Hickman, Ky., from Oxweld Acetylene Co., Chicago, Ills., and unless disposition is given within thirty days from date (May 4, 1916), same will be sold for freight and storage charges.—Chicago, Memphis & Gulf Railroad Co., by J. O. Clapp, Supt. 4-25c

County School Notes

By Miss Virginia Loten
County Supt.

The commencement exercises for the eighth grade graduates will be held at the Methodist church at Cayce, Friday evening, May 12th, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. Prof. A. C. Burton, of Bowling Green, will deliver an address and the diplomas will be presented by Judge E. J. Staln. The Cayce orchestra has very kindly agreed to furnish some good music for that occasion. Any friends who can send flowers or assist in decorating the church will please do so. Let us give our rural school graduates the honor and encouragement that is due them. The graduates are asked to be at Cayce not later than 8 o'clock. Every member of the class is expected to be present, and if any should find it impossible to be there, please notify us beforehand.

Examination for county teachers certificates will be held at the Court House May 19th and 20th. Examination for the eight year state certificates will be held in June and September.

A WASTE OF MONEY.

The Courier is in receipt of a pamphlet gotten out by the steel trust, telling of a proposed waste of \$11,000,000 to build a government armor plant. It contains some pretty good argument and offers to make armor plates for \$250 per ton whereas \$125 is now being paid. It is strange—and not so strange either—that the Bethlehem Steel Co. did not reduce the price until the government proposed to make its own armor. Of course there will be a waste of money—we don't think.

Mrs. Henry F. Remley, formerly of this city, was married yesterday at Columbia, S. C. We failed to get further particulars, but would add that she is a mighty fine lady.

G. B. Smith and wife, of Hodgenville, Ky., returned home Wednesday after a few days visit to her brother, C. H. Moore, and wife.

Mrs. B. B. Sanders and daughter, Miss Kathleen, returned to Canthersville today after a visit to Mrs. J. A. Thompson and family.

Cotton has advanced from \$12.00 to \$12.25 during the present week. This is the first variation in price in several weeks.

Every man that buys a hat of Leibovitz goes out with a hat that fits his head, fits his face and fits his purse.

We use nothing but pure creamery butter and high grade pop corn. See a bag, try it.—Dobson's.

Beau Bow—the new broad tuckered and how tie now being sold by the Leibovitz "Live Store."

Miss Marie Brevard will return home this week after a visit to friends at Mason and Atlanta.

Always showing something new in Shirts, Collars and Neckwear at the Leibovitz "Live Store."

All the new fabrics in the most advanced modes are shown in Leibovitz's all wool suits.

You can still buy the same fast colors in "Arrow" Brand Shirts at Leibovitz "Live Store."

The Leibovitz all wool suits are so expertly cut and tailored that a perfect fit is assured.

J. M. Pullen leaves today for Everton, Mo., where he will probably spend the summer.

Plans are under consideration for having a resident trained nurse in Hickman.

Mrs. H. E. Putnam, of Hardin, Ky., is the guest of her son, R. V. Putnam, and wife.

"Not touched by hands"—our butter kist, delicious, crisp pop corn.—Dobson's.

Mrs. H. E. Prather and son, Logan, returned from Nashville last night.

R. V. Putnam has returned from a business trip in Paducah.

Leibovitz's hat styles and service insures you hat satisfaction.

Always something new and different at Leibovitz "Live Store."

The Mothers Club met yesterday with Mrs. W. A. Dodds.

If it's "New" Leibovitz "Live Store" has it.

C. H. Moore spent Tuesday in Union City.

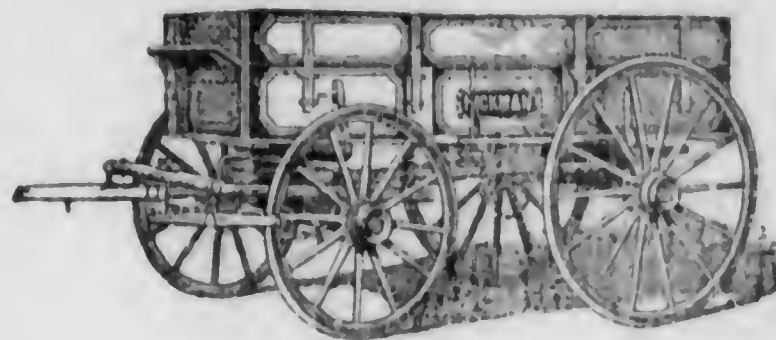
Chas. Werner has purchased a new Ford.

Heavy rains fell here first of the week.

Butter kist pop corn at Dobson's.

H. J. Werner is on the sick list.

CUT PRICES



We have just closed a deal with the Hickman Wagon Company for all finished wagons on hand and we bought these at a very low figure, from the fact that they didn't care to ship them to their new plant at Clarksdale, Miss., which would incur a great deal of expense, and we are offering these wagons as long as they last at the following prices:

One-Horse Wagon, with bed and plain seat, for	\$37.50
Two-Horse Wagon No. 2½, high wheels, less bed, for	32.00
Two-Horse Wagon No. 2½, any height wheels, less bed, for	38.00
Two-Horse Wagon No. 3, stiff tongue, wheels any height, less bed, for	38.00
Two-Horse Wagon No. 3, slip or coach tongue, less bed, for	42.00

You will notice that these wagons are all quoted less beds, with exception of the one-horse wagon, and the price of the bed comes extra, according to the size.

We will carry the same guarantee as heretofore and will always have repairs on hand.

Now at these prices we are going to move the wagons, and move them quick, and if you are figuring on needing a wagon within the next year or two think it will pay you to call at once and buy several for your later requirements.



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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Hickman, Ky., May 1, 1916.
An ordinance to issue \$15,000 Mississippi River Levee Bonds of the City of Hickman, Kentucky, and to provide for a sufficient annual tax to pay interest as the same becomes due, and to create a sinking fund to retire said bonds at maturity.

The City Council of the City of Hickman, Kentucky, do ordain as follows: That WHEREAS, there was submitted to the electors of the City of Hickman, Kentucky, at the general election held upon the 4th day of November, 1913, the question whether the City Council of the City of Hickman should be authorized to issue bonds in the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars, for the purpose of raising money to build and maintain a levee along the bank of the Mississippi river, within the limits of the City of Hickman, Ky., or by cooperating with others in said expenditure, and;

WHEREAS, due notice of said election was given as required by law, which notice specified the amount of the indebtedness proposed to be incurred, the purpose of the same, and the amount of money necessary to be raised annually by taxation for interest and principal, and;

WHEREAS, at said election upon a canvass of the votes cast thereat, it appears that two-thirds of all the qualified electors voting were in favor of incurring such indebtedness, and of such tax;

Therefore the Council of the City of Hickman, Kentucky, do ordain: Section 1. That bonds of the city be issued in the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars. Said bonds shall be dated January 1, 1916, shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum (6 per cent) per annum, payable annually.

Section 2. That the Council of the City of Hickman, Kentucky, do further ordain that for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds as it falls due and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof, as the same matures, there shall be and there is hereby levied upon all the taxable property in the City of Hickman, Kentucky, a direct annual tax sufficient in amount to raise each year during the existence of said bonds, the sum of \$900 to pay the interest on said bonds as it becomes due; there shall be and there is hereby also levied upon all of the taxable property of the City of Hickman, Kentucky, a direct annual tax sufficient in amount to raise

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W. A. DODDS

Section 3637 of the Kentucky Statutes of 1909.

And said City of Hickman hereby certifies and warrants to the holder of this bond that said City of Hickman is legally organized, and that all the requirements of law necessary to make this bond valid have been observed and complied with, and that the total amount of this bond issue does not exceed the limit prescribed by the constitution and laws of the State of Kentucky.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, The said City of Hickman, has executed this bond and twenty (20) coupons attached hereto by causing the within Bond and said Coupons to be signed by the Mayor of said city, and countersigned by the Clerk of said city, with the corporate seal thereof affixed to said Bond, this first day of January, 1916.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

Clerk of City of Hickman.

FURN OF COTTON

No. 1. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 1 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 2. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 2 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 3. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 3 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 4. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 4 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 5. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 5 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 6. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 6 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 7. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 7 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 8. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 8 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 9. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 9 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 10. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 10 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 11. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 11 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 12. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 12 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 13. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 13 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 14. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 14 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

No. 15. THE CITY OF HICKMAN, State of Kentucky, will pay the sum of THIRTY DOLLARS on the 1st day of January, 1917, for value received, at the office of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, at Hickman, Kentucky, being for one year's interest then due on Bond No. 15 for \$500 issued by said City of Hickman.

Mayor of City of Hickman.

in each year during the existence of said bonds, the sum of \$750.00, to create a sinking fund to retire said bonds at maturity, said tax shall be in addition to all other taxes and the taxing authorities shall annually compute the rate and amount of said tax and the same shall be annually levied and collected as other taxes are levied and collected.

SECTION 3. Said bonds shall not be sold for less than their par value and accrued interest, and the proceeds of the sale of same shall be used for the purpose for which they are issued and for no other purpose, said purpose being to build and maintain a levee between the City of Hickman, Kentucky, and the Mississippi river.

Section 4. The Council of the City of Hickman, Kentucky, do hereby offer the said bonds for sale, at not less than par value, with accrued interest at six per cent per annum, from date until delivered, to the highest and best bidder for cash, that sealed proposals for the purchase of said bonds together with a certified check in sum of \$500 for faithful performance, will be acceptable from date of publication hereof up to and including date of June 5th 1916, at 8 p. m. o'clock, same to be addressed to Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor, Hickman, Ky., contents of such communications to be plainly so marked on the outside thereof, and not to be opened until the date and hour above set out. And the City Clerk of

the City of Hickman, Kentucky, do hereby certify and warrant to the holder of this bond that said City of Hickman is legally organized, and that all the requirements of law necessary to make this bond valid have been observed and complied with, and that the total amount of this bond issue does not exceed the limit prescribed by the constitution and laws of the State of Kentucky.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, The said City of Hickman, has executed this bond and twenty (20) coupons attached hereto by causing the within Bond and said Coupons to be signed by the Mayor of said city, and countersigned by the Clerk of said city, with the corporate seal thereof affixed to said Bond, this first day of January, 1916.

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Clerk of City of Hickman.

City of Hickman.
Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.
Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

CLAUDE HALE KILLS TOM ANDERSON.

Claude Hale, a resident of this city, who operates a saw mill and planing mill at Tyler, Ky., in the lower end of the county, is under arrest in Hickman, charged with killing Tom Anderson.

We do not vouch for the facts in the case and merely relate what we gather from reports concerning the tragedy. These are to the effect that Mr. Hale and a man named Vernon Holt had some trouble Sunday afternoon on the train while enroute from Hickman to Tyler. After they had reached their destination, the trouble was renewed. In the course of the quarrel, Mr. Hale fired one shot from his pistol, missing his antagonist and hitting Tom Anderson, a bystander. The ball took effect in Anderson's forehead, producing a wound from which the victim died the next morning.

Sheriff Hummelston was notified of the trouble and went to Tyler and arrested Mr. Hale, who is now in jail here, pending an investigation of the killing, which is now in the hands of the grand jury.

The unfortunate affair is deplored by the friends of both parties.

Tom Anderson is a man of about 25 years, married and has a wife and two children. He is a timber cutter and has been in the county for some weeks.

He has many friends throughout the county. He is also a man of family, is of middle age and prominently connected.

We are unable to learn anything about Mr. Holt, except that he has been in that section for some weeks.

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